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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: Physicians Comparability Allowance Amendments -
Update

1. Jeff Landry, staffer on the Senate Governmental Affairs Committee, said that Senator Stevens (R., AL) will introduce a bill to extend the Physicians Comparability Allowance Amendments this week before the August recess begins. Landry does not expect that any hearings will be held on the bill. He believes that the bill will be sent directly to the floor after the recess and before the end of the fiscal year. He is optimistic about it passing.

2. Joe Sisk on the staff of the Post Office and Civil Service Compensation Subcommittee indicated that he has not been successful in getting the administration bill from OPM despite repeated efforts to do so. As a result, the Subcommittee staff has drafted and is holding its own bill. While action is stalled on the House side, Sisk said that he still hopes to see the measure sent to the House floor under suspension of the rules in sufficient time to prevent a gap in the benefit provisions which expire on 30 September 1987.


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